

resource list

child passenger safety advocates

AMERICAN ACADEMY OF PEDIATRICS

P.O. Box 927

141 Northwest Point Boulevard
Elk Grove Village, IL 60009-0927

Phone: (708) 228-5005, ext. 5101

Sells child passenger safety educational materials. Some state chapters have "Make Every Ride A Safe Ride" programs.

AUTOMOTIVE SAFETY FOR CHILDREN PROGRAM

Riley Hospital for Children

575 West Drive

Room 004

Indianapolis, IN 46202

Phone: (317) 274-2977

Provides resources and assistance to Indiana consumers. Conducts research and provides technical assistance on special needs issues on special assignment.

"BUCKLE UP KIDS" FIRE AND RESCUE PROGRAM

Barbara Patasce

United States Fire Administration

16825 South Seton Avenue

Emmitsburg, MD 21727

Fax: (301) 447-1102

Provides training for fire and rescue personnel to become community-based resources for education and technical assistance in child passenger safety.

CENTER FOR INJURY PREVENTION

1007 Ellis Street

Stevens Point, WI 54481

Phone: (715) 344-7583

Toll free: (800) 344-7580

Fax: (715) 341-8400

Offers safety education materials for pre-schoolers. Sells "Buckle Bear" injury prevention educational materials. Provides training and consultation.

CHILDREN'S SAFETY NETWORK

National Maternal and Child Health
Clearinghouse

8201 Greensboro Drive

Suite 600

McLean, VA 22102

Phone: (703) 821-8965

Provides a national resource center and clearinghouse on child passenger safety issues for out-of-home child care providers, their licensing agencies, parents, children, and the Maternal and Child Health network.

CSN ECONOMICS AND INSURANCE RESOURCE CENTER

National Public Service Research Institute

8201 Corporate Drive

Suite 220

Landover, MD 20785

Phone: (301) 731-9991

Provides cost-benefit analysis on child safety seats.

DRIVERS' APPEAL FOR NATIONAL AWARENESS

DANA Foundation

P.O. Box 1050

Germantown, MD 20875

Fax: (301) 601-9228

Works with advocates and the media to raise awareness of child safety seat/vehicle incompatibility issues.

E.K. & COMPANY, INC.

1007 Ellis Street

Stevens Point, WI 54481-2935

Phone: (715) 344-7583

CPS BBS phone: (202) 785-2546

Fax: (715) 341-8400

A national child passenger safety computer bulletin board system (CPS BBS). Contact CPS BBS for subscription information.

INSURANCE INSTITUTE FOR HIGHWAY SAFETY

Communications Department

1005 North Glebe Road

Arlington, VA 22201

Phone: (703) 247-1500

Fax: (703) 214-1678

Provides highway safety facts and statistics and informational brochures. Has crash test videotapes of restrained and unrestrained passengers.

KARS/Special KARS (Kids Are Riding Safe/Special Kids Are Riding Safe)

National Easter Seal Society

230 West Monroe

Suite 1800

Chicago, IL 60606

Phone: (312) 726-6200

Toll free: (800) 221-6827

Provides training for a comprehensive hospital-based child passenger safety education program, focusing on children with special needs who cannot use conventional child restraints.

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MARY GREELY MEDICAL CENTER

Mobile Intensive Care Services

Attn: Paul Hudson

117 11th Street

Ames, IA 50010

Phone: (515) 239-2109

Sells videos on safe transportation of children in emergency vehicles.

MIDAS "PROJECT SAFE BABY"

Midas Headquarters

225 North Michigan Avenue

Chicago, IL 60601

Toll free: (800)-621-0144, ext. 7833

Offers child safety seats at cost to any consumer, with a rebate of the same cost upon return of the seat at any time. Local dealers often active in community safety coalitions.

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR THE EDUCATION OF YOUNG CHILDREN (NAEYC)

1509 16th Street, N.W.

Washington, DC 20036-1426

Phone: (202) 232-8777

Toll free: (800) 424-2460

Fax: (202) 328-1846

Develops and sells child passenger and traffic safety (bicycle and pedestrian) educational materials for teachers and young children.

NATIONAL HIGHWAY TRAFFIC SAFETY ADMINISTRATION (NHTSA)

Office of Occupant Protection

NTS-13

400 7th Street, S.W.

Washington, DC 20590

Fax: (202) 493-2062

Sets national safety standards for child safety seat manufacturers. Provides statistics, technical assistance, and educational materials on child passenger safety issues.

NHTSA AUTO SAFETY HOTLINE

Toll Free: (800) 424-9393

Washington, DC area: (202) 366-0123

Receives reports on defects (distributes Child Safety Seat Questionnaire) and provides child seat recall information. Handles consumer inquiries about child safety seat safety problems and recalls.

NATIONAL SAFE KIDS

111 Michigan Avenue, N.W.

Washington, DC 20010

Phone: (202) 939-4993

Sponsor of nearly 200 state and local child safety coalitions. Responds to consumer calls and provides informational brochures.

NATIONAL SAFETY BELT COALITION

1019 19th Street, N.W.

Suite 401

Washington, DC 20036

Phone: (202) 296-6263

Fax: (202) 293-2270

Network of private and public sector organizations dedicated to promoting safety belt and child safety seat awareness. Serves as a clearinghouse for information and materials on occupant protection. Supports efforts to strengthen seat belt and safety seat laws. Encourages support for enforcement efforts.

NATIONAL SAFETY COUNCIL

1121 Spring Lake Drive

Itasca, IL 60143-3021

Phone: (708) 285-1121

Responds to consumer calls and distributes informational brochures and statistics.

SAFE AMERICA FOUNDATION'S "OPERATION BABY BUCKLE"

P.O. Box 14145

Atlanta, GA 30324-1145

Phone: (404) 497-6168

Distributes child safety seats to low-income families. Provides educational resources to encourage greater understanding of car seat safety principles by all parents.

SAFE RIDE NEWS PUBLICATIONS

Deborah Stewart

726 Belmont Place East

Seattle, WA 98102-4425

Phone: (206) 328-1424

Publishes national quarterly publication covering child passenger injury issues in depth.

SAFETYBELTSafe U.S.A.

Box 553

Altadena, CA 91003

Phone: (310) 673-2666

Fax: (310) 677-5777

Offers child passenger safety training, educational materials in many languages, and consulting services.

SHELNESS PRODUCTIONS

Box 326

New Milford, CT 06776

Phone: (203) 355-0323

Fax: (203) 355-8379

Sells videotapes, brochures, and training materials on proper installation and use of child safety seats.

SHINN AND ASSOCIATES, INC.

2154 Commons Parkway

Okemos, MI 48864

Phone: (517) 332-0211

Toll free: (800) 955-8870

Sells child car seats, special needs seats, and bicycle helmets.

WISCONSIN INFORMATION NETWORK FOR SAFETY (WINS)

1007 Ellis Street

Stevens Point, WI 54481

Phone: (715) 344-7130

Toll Free (in WI): (800) 261-WINS

Sells resources for occupant protection programs, including t-shirts, parking lot signs, key chains, etc.

